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0-1	International Application No.	
0-2	International Filing Date	
0-3	Name of receiving Office and "PCT International Application"	
0-4	Form - PCT/RO/101 PCT Request	
0-4-1	Prepared using	PCT-EASY Version 2.92 (updated 01.01.2003)
0-5	Petition The undersigned requests that the present international application be processed according to the Patent Cooperation Treaty	
0-6	Receiving Office (specified by the applicant)	United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) (RO/US)
0-7	Applicant's or agent's file reference	F171722
I	Title of invention	NOVEL BENZOHYDRAZIDE DERIVATIVES AS HERBICIDES AND DESICCANT COMPOSITIONS CONTANING THEM
II	Applicant	
II-1	This person is:	applicant only
II-2	Applicant for	all designated States except US
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III-1-7	State of residence	JP

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III-2-1	This person is:	applicant and inventor
III-2-2	Applicant for	US only
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III-2-6	State of nationality	US
III-2-7	State of residence	US
IV-1	Agent or common representative; or address for correspondence The person identified below is hereby/has been appointed to act on behalf of the applicant(s) before the competent International Authorities as:	agent
IV-1-1	Name (LAST, First)	GUBINSKY, Louis
IV-1-2	Address:	SUGHRUE MION, PLLC 2100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW Suite 800 Washington, DC 20037-3213 United States of America
IV-1-3	Telephone No.	202-293-7060
IV-1-4	Facsimile No.	202-293-7860
IV-1-5	Agent's registration No.	24,835
IV-2	Additional agent(s)	additional agent(s) with same address as first named agent
IV-2-1	Name(s)	KASPER, Alan, J.(25,426); KIT, Gordon(30,764); NEILS, Paul, F.(33,102)
V	Designation of States	
V-1	Regional Patent (other kinds of protection or treatment, if any, are specified between parentheses after the designation(s) concerned)	AP: GH GM KE LS MW MZ SD SL SZ TZ UG ZM ZW and any other State which is a Contracting State of the Harare Protocol and of the PCT EA: AM AZ BY KG KZ MD RU TJ TM and any other State which is a Contracting State of the Eurasian Patent Convention and of the PCT EP: AT BE BG CH&LI CY CZ DE DK EE ES FI FR GB GR HU IE IT LU MC NL PT SE SI SK TR and any other State which is a Contracting State of the European Patent Convention and of the PCT OA: BF BJ CF CG CI CM GA GN GQ GW ML MR NE SN TD TG and any other State which is a member State of OAPI and a Contracting State of the PCT

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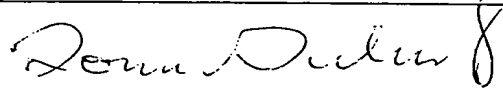
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V-2	National Patent (other kinds of protection or treatment, if any, are specified between parentheses after the designation(s) concerned)	AE AG AL AM AT AU AZ BA BB BG BR BY BZ CA CH&LI CN CO CR CU CZ DE DK DM DZ EC EE ES FI GB GD GE GH GM HR HU ID IL IN IS JP KE KG KP KR KZ LC LK LR LS LT LU LV MA MD MG MK MN MW MX MZ NI NO NZ OM PH PL PT RO RU SC SD SE SG SK SL TJ TM TN TR TT TZ UA UG US (continuation-in-part) UZ VC VN YU ZA ZM ZW
V-4	Identification of parent application or parent grant, etc.	
V-4-1	Designation	US
V-4-1-1	Kind of protection	continuation-in-part
V-4-1-2	Parent application or grant No.	10/196,220
V-4-1-3	Parent application or grant date	17 July 2002 (17.07.2002)
V-5	Precautionary Designation Statement In addition to the designations made under items V-1, V-2 and V-3, the applicant also makes under Rule 4.9(b) all designations which would be permitted under the PCT except any designation(s) of the State(s) indicated under item V-6 below. The applicant declares that those additional designations are subject to confirmation and that any designation which is not confirmed before the expiration of 15 months from the priority date is to be regarded as withdrawn by the applicant at the expiration of that time limit.	
V-6	Exclusion(s) from precautionary designations	NONE
VI-1	Priority claim of earlier national application	
VI-1-1	Filing date	17 July 2002 (17.07.2002)
VI-1-2	Number	10/196,220
VI-1-3	Country	US
VI-2	Priority document request The receiving Office is requested to prepare and transmit to the International Bureau a certified copy of the earlier application(s) identified above as item(s):	VI-1
VII-1	International Searching Authority Chosen	United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) (ISA/US)

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VIII	Declarations	Number of declarations	
VIII-1	Declaration as to the identity of the inventor	-	
VIII-2	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to apply for and be granted a patent	-	
VIII-3	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to claim the priority of the earlier application	-	
VIII-4	Declaration of inventorship (only for the purposes of the designation of the United States of America)	-	
VIII-5	Declaration as to non-prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty	-	
IX	Check list	number of sheets	electronic file(s) attached
IX-1	Request (including declaration sheets)	5	-
IX-2	Description	48	-
IX-3	Claims	15	-
IX-4	Abstract	1	EZABST00.TXT
IX-5	Drawings	0	-
IX-7	TOTAL	69	
	Accompanying items	paper document(s) attached	electronic file(s) attached
IX-8	Fee calculation sheet	✓	-
IX-17	PCT-EASY diskette	-	Diskette
IX-18	Other (specified):	Transmittal Sheet	-
IX-19	Figure of the drawings which should accompany the abstract		
IX-20	Language of filing of the international application	English	
X-1	Signature of applicant, agent or common representative		
X-1-1	Name (LAST, First)	GUBINSKY, Louis	

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10-1	Date of actual receipt of the purported international application	
10-2	Drawings:	
10-2-1	Received	
10-2-2	Not received	
10-3	Corrected date of actual receipt due to later but timely received papers or drawings completing the purported international application	
10-4	Date of timely receipt of the required corrections under PCT Article 11(2)	
10-5	International Searching Authority	ISA/US
10-6	Transmittal of search copy delayed until search fee is paid	

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0-4	Form - PCT/RO/101 (Annex) PCT Fee Calculation Sheet		
0-4-1	Prepared using	PCT-EASY Version 2.92 (updated 01.01.2003)	
0-9	Applicant's or agent's file reference	F171722	
2	Applicant	ISHIHARA SANGYO KAISHA, LTD., et al.	
12	Calculation of prescribed fees	fee amount/multiplier	Total amounts (USD)
12-1	Transmittal fee T	⇒	240
12-2-1	Search fee S	⇒	700
12-2-2	International search to be carried out by	US	
12-3	International fee		
	Basic fee		
	(first 30 sheets) b1	407	
12-4	Remaining sheets	39	
12-5	Additional amount (X)	9	
12-6	Total additional amount b2	351	
12-7	b1 + b2 = B	758	
12-8	Designation fees		
	Number of designations contained in international application	95	
12-9	Number of designation fees payable (maximum 5)	5	
12-10	Amount of designation fee (X)	88	
12-11	Total designation fees D	440	
12-12	PCT-EASY fee reduction R	-125	
12-13	Total International fee (B+D-R) I	⇒	1,073
12-14	Fee for priority document		
	Number of priority documents requested	1	
12-15	Fee per document (X)	20	
12-16	Total priority document fee P	⇒	20
12-17	TOTAL FEES PAYABLE (T+S+I+P)	⇒	2,033
12-19	Mode of payment	cheque	
12-20	Deposit account instructions		
	The receiving Office:	United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) (RO/US)	
12-20-2	Authorization to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the total fees indicated above.	✓	
12-20-3	Authorization to charge the fee for priority document.	✓	

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12-21	Deposit account No.	19-4880
12-22	Date	14 July 2003 (14.07.2003)
12-23	Name and signature	GUBINSKY, Louis 

VALIDATION LOG AND REMARKS

13-2-7	Validation messages Contents	Yellow! The power of attorney or a copy of the general power of attorney will need to be furnished unless all applicants sign the request form.
		Green? The international application contains no drawings. Please verify.
13-2-8	Validation messages Fees	Green? Please confirm that fee schedule utilized is the latest available